

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

## SECRETORY PROTEIN-48

Secretory Protein-48 (Zsig48), polypeptides, polynucleotides encoding said polypeptides, antibodies which specifically bind to Zsig48 and anti-idiotypic antibodies. Zsig48 polypeptides cause leukocytes to proliferate and thus can be used to elevate leukocytes in cancer treatments and in immunosuppressed patients.